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In re Application of:

**Stachura et al.**

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CONTROL FUNCTIONS ON AN  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments prior to consideration of the above captioned application.